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In re Application of:  
**Brian A. Kraynack, et al.**

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Examiner: **Tracy Ann Vivlemore**

For: **Double Stranded Compositions Comprising A 3'-Endo Modified Strand For Use In Gene Modulation**

Commissioner for Patents  
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REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.111

In response to the Official Action dated **August 5, 2008**, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:

- ☐ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ **Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.